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Monday - 7 July 1975

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1. (Internal Use Only - RJK) Delivered to the offices of Senators Edward M. Kennedy (D., Mass.), Jacob K. Javits (R., N.Y.), James L. Buckley (C., N.Y.), Hugh Scott (R., Pa.), Hubert H. Humphrey (D., Minn.), Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.), John C. Culver (D., Iowa) and Representatives Gene Snyder (R., Ky.) and John J. Rhodes (R., Ariz.) FBIS items in which their names were mentioned.

2. (Internal Use Only - RJK) [ ] picked up a package at the United States Postal Service Headquarters for [ ] OGC.

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3. (Confidential - RJK) Met with Richard Kaufman, General Counsel, Joint Economic Committee, and gave him a xerox copy of the Director's testimony before the Subcommittee on Priorities and Economy in Government of 18 June 1975 with proposed editorial changes and security deletions by Mr. Proctor, DDI. Included also were several insertions for the record. Kaufman said he would review the transcript and requested a meeting with an Agency representative to discuss any problem areas at 1400 hours on Wednesday, 9 July. I told him I would relay his request and get back in touch with him. [ ] Congressional Support Officer, OCI, has been advised.

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4. (Confidential - GLC) Called Senator Dewey Bartlett's (R., Okla.) office and arranged for a debriefing of the Senator which was conducted this afternoon by Messrs. Robert Layton, NIO, [ ] OSR, and [ ] OCI. We met the Senator in his office and Jim Smith, of the Senate Armed Services Committee staff was also present. The Senator and Smith were very generous and cooperative in giving us a rundown on their trip to Berbera, Somalia over the July 4th recess.

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I told the Senator that his secretary, Mary Ann Freeman and I both had a tickler on our calendars to arrange for Carl Duckett to meet with the Senator on Soviet missile programs at the Senator's convenience.

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Thursday - 3 July 1975

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1. (Internal Use Only - REH) Had a luncheon for Mike Reed, Legislative Assistant to the Speaker of the House. Messrs. Cary, Parmenter, OCI, Carver, NIO, and [ ] OCI, also attended. Discussion was on general subjects of interest to the Agency, followed by a briefing for Mr. Reed on Panama.

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2. (Confidential - LLM) Accompanied [ ] and [ ] to a briefing of John Ford and Ted Lunger, House Armed Services Committee staff, in preparation for the travel to Somalia of the congressional delegation from the House Armed Services Committee. Ford and Lunger found the briefing exceedingly helpful and a number of topics were treated which apparently had not been included in the numerous briefings they have received from DOD and DIA.

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3. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called Arnie Donahue, OMB, to determine the status of OMB clearance of the proposed intelligence sources and methods legislation, reminding him that the due date for departmental and agency responses to OMB was probably in late May, although I acknowledged that the USIB meeting on this subject may have been responsible for some delay. It was Donahue's opinion that the Executive branch position would be jelled within the next month, and would involve consideration of recommendations in the Rockefeller Commission report, the Murphy Commission report, and S. 1 (Criminal Code revision).

4. (Internal Use Only - DFM) Called Tom Moyer, Office of General Counsel, Civil Service Commission, regarding the numerous bills requiring financial disclosure by Federal employees. Moyer referred me to Dave Reich. Reich said he was unaware that the Commission was writing comments on these bills and therefore apparently they did not feel they were high priority. When I sketched out an outline of my proposed letter he suggested I include remarks about E. O. 11222, which now requires a much more limited statement by certain Federal employees. He referred me to [ ] OGC, for information on the Agency's compliance with this Executive Order.

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17. (Confidential - GLC) Received a call from Jack Marsh, Counsellor to the President for Legislative Affairs, who said that Representative George H. Mahon (D., Tex.) had contacted the White House and expressed opposition to the Agency's appointment of [ ] as special counsel. Marsh was interested in my reaction to Mahon's attitude and asked whether anyone had alerted the White House on this matter in advance. I gave Marsh my rationale for Mr. Mahon's position, which is based on pressure I believe he is receiving from certain members of the Defense Appropriations Subcommittee, and I advised him that the matter of a special counsel had been discussed in advance with Philip Buchen, Counsel to the President, and John Morrison had talked with Buchen this morning about the selection of [ ] and Buchen had indicated he thought [ ] was a good choice. Marsh thanked me for this information. He said this was probably a matter that would receive the attention of the President.

18. (Confidential - GLC) Mr. Duckett called to advise me of the contact made with him by General Don Johnson, Director, Defense Nuclear Agency, concerning Duckett's testimony before Senator William Proxmire's (D., Wis.) Appropriations Subcommittee regarding the Soyuz/Apollo flight. General Johnson told Duckett that he was in agreement with Duckett's statement as released by Senator Proxmire and that he intends to contact George Lowe, Deputy Director of NASA about the danger of proceeding with the flight while the present Soviet spacecraft is in orbit. Mr. Duckett merely wanted to alert me to these facts.

19. (Confidential - LLM) Emerson Brown, INR, State, called in connection with a request they had received from the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations, for information on political payments in Korea by Gulf Oil Corporation. Brown said that the responsible State official wanted to know what information the Agency possessed and said he had been told by Agency officials that they would not respond without a written request from State. In response to my question, Brown said the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations' request was limited to State information and on that basis, I recommended that State's response be limited to that request, explaining that we had met with the Subcommittee staff on this subject; that as a matter of policy, we prefer to deal directly with the requester and the Subcommittee is aware that U.S. corporations are outside of our general charter and any substantial information we have incidentally collected is referred to the appropriate departments or agencies. Brown agreed with our approach and felt that the State official was being too assertive. [ ] also advised.

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20. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called Joe Murray, International Division ~~GAO~~, in response to his earlier call and told him we were getting in touch with Mr. Giller of ~~ERDA~~ to review who was to provide what in response to Murray's request concerning the effectiveness of international safeguards, the effectiveness of export controls, and information on unaccounted for nuclear material in the possession of foreign countries. This matter was discussed with Giller, in mid-May with an understanding that Giller would handle two of these items and Mr. Cary has an agreement with Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, for whom Murray has made this request, that the Agency will provide whatever information we have directly and not through GAO. Per [redacted] will call Giller on this on Monday to reconfirm our earlier understanding.

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21. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called Tim Ingram, Staff Director of Representative Bella S. Abzug's (D., N. Y.) House Government Operations Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights, and told him that while we are working on their request concerning prosecution under the 1954 agreement with ~~Justice~~, we cannot meet the deadline on 3 July imposed in Ingram's letter, and he seemed to be understanding. We discussed generally the various categories of cases covered by the 1954 agreement and I stressed to him that that agreement appeared to apply to possible criminal actions by Agency employees in their private capacity, not in their official capacity as implied from the wording of Ingram's letter. Ingram said he was consolidating a list of follow-up items from the transcript and correlating them to page numbers in the transcript and that he would be submitting additional questions. I told him I would be on leave next week and that he should be in contact with Mr. Cary regarding the prosecution issue. In an earlier meeting with Messrs. [redacted] OGC, Mr. Cary and myself, it was agreed that [redacted] would review with Mr. Wilderotter, White House, and Mr. Moroney, of Justice, on the restraints they see in responding to these requests concerning the 1954 agreement. (Mr. Moroney is scheduled to see Ingram next Tuesday in preparation for his appearance before the Subcommittee on Thursday.)

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22. (Internal Use Only - WPB) Called Jim Wentzel, Department of ~~Justice~~ Office of Legislative Affairs, and told him that we had already delivered the material he had requested the day before to Mr. Moroney, Department of Justice. He asked if it would be possible for us to send him those parts of the transcript of the hearing before Representative Bella S. Abzug's (D., N. Y.) Subcommittee on Information and Individual Rights of the House Government Operations Committee, dealing with the subject of Department-Agency agreement. I said I thought that would be no problem and after checking with [redacted] I said I would send him excerpts to him.

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1. (Internal Use Only - FMC) In response to a call the other day and after checking with the IRS office, called Becky, in the office of Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R.I.), and told her this Agency had not received the Freedom of Information request from a constituent of the Senator's, Anthony DiBiaisio of Providence, Rhode Island. I then suggested to Becky to have the constituent write directly to our Freedom of Information Coordinator and then gave her the full address.

2. (Internal Use Only - FMC) Received a call from [ ] STAT  
DIA, who said that while he was on the Hill he ran into Mike West, House Armed Services Committee staff, who asked that [ ] check with the Agency STAT  
for a copy of Mr. Colby's speech which he gave last Thursday before a group. I told [ ] I would check into this and get back to West.

3. (Unclassified - LLM) In connection with an outstanding request from John Flint, House Select Committee staff, I asked [ ] STAT  
CRS, if he had a shelf copy of a bibliography on CIA which he sent up to me and later, Mr. Walter Pforzheimer updated that listing.

4. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called John Hotis, Legislative Liaison, FBI, to inquire if the Attorney General had yet made his determination on how to respond to the request from the Senate Select Committee on the files of its members. The decision has not yet been made and in response to my query, Hotis said they did not have a file in their Legislative shop on every member of Congress, but rather had a card system which contains a synopsis of information in the FBI's possession concerning the member. In response to my request, Hotis is sending a copy of the transcript of hearings and letters and prepared statements by FBI officials which covers the Bureau's policy and questions they have received on information and files on members of Congress as well as the draft letter for the Attorney General's signature responding to the Select Committee's request. STAT

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5. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Confirmed with Emerson Brown, State Department, that he now had sufficient information to handle the request received by Assistant Secretary Philip Habib (Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs) State Department from Representative Bill Chappell (D., Fla.) concerning the Agency publication dealing with Communist trade activities in less developed countries.

6. (Secret - LLM) In response to his earlier query, spoke with Martin Thibault, Staff Assistant to Representative James Hanley (D., N.Y.) and informed him of my conversation with Mr. Hanley on 1 May on a sensitive Agency project and that we are in the process of making arrangements to brief Arthur Sampson of GSA on this matter. I told him that Mr. Hanley had indicated that there was no need for GSA to reply to his letter and Thibault said he would remind Mr. Hanley of this conversation and be back in touch with us if anything further is needed.

7. (Confidential - LLM) Ted Lunger, House Armed Services Committee staff, called concerning arrangements for our assistance in connection with the travel of a congressional delegation from the House Armed Services Committee to Somalia.

8. (Confidential - LLM) Met with John Ford, House Armed Services Committee staff, and arrangements were made to brief he and Ted Lunger and possibly Representative Robert Leggett, who may be added to the congressional delegation traveling to Somalia, for 0930 hours tomorrow. I also reviewed with Ford certain sensitive information bearing on their trip.

9. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Bill Hogan, House Armed Services Committee staff, called to report the outcome of his review of Committee records on the delivery of the statement of Director of Central Intelligence Hillenkoetter before the House Armed Services Committee on 8 April 1948 on H.R. 5871, the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949. Hogan reported that Chairman Shaffer of Subcommittee Number Three had started to report on the provisions of H.R. 5871 on 15 May but that the minutes indicate that he did not get very far. On 4 May, Hillenkoetter appeared in executive session before the full Committee and it is clear from the minutes of that session that there had been previous Subcommittee hearings and presumably this did happen on 8 April 1948 but the full Committee minutes are not clear on this point. Hogan said there are no transcripts available; all sessions were executive and the only records are the minutes from which he garnered the only relevant information as reported above.

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15. (Unclassified - GLC) Called Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, regarding Senator Dewey Bartlett's trip to Somalia and raised with McFadden the possibility of our briefing Bartlett before he departed. McFadden said the Senator was leaving at 1:00 p.m. this afternoon, that the material we had given him (McFadden) which in turn had been made available to the Senator, plus the briefings he had received from DIA, McFadden thought would give the Senator all he needed.

16. (Confidential - LLM) Met with Representative Clarence Brown (R., Ohio) and we discussed his interest in pursuing the question of Capitol Hill as a target for foreign intelligence services. He agreed with me that this was outside our domain and he will contact Director Clarence Kelley, ~~FBI~~, on this matter.

17. (Unclassified - DFM) Called Dorothy Mayo, ~~Civil Service Commission~~, to inquire about the Commission's position on the numerous bills introduced to require Federal employees to file financial statements with the Comptroller General. She referred me to Tom Moyer, Office of General Counsel, CSC.

18. (Internal Use Only - RJK) Delivered to Sandy Gilbert, on the staff of the House Defense Subcommittee of Appropriations, in the absence of Charles Snodgrass, the final follow up items from the Director's appearance before the Subcommittee on 17 and 22 April 1975 and also a package of answers to questions which Snodgrass had given to Mr. Iams, Comptroller.

19. (Internal Use Only - RJK) Carolyn Smith, on the staff of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, called to request subscriptions to the Middle East, Western Europe, and Eastern Europe FBIS Daily Reports for Steven Bryen, of the Committee staff. I called FBIS and made the necessary arrangements.

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